

Student & Parent School Bulletin

Monday 17th October 2022 week 7A

1. Diary

Monday 17th October

- Year 7, 9 and 11 student photos (see year group notice below)

Tuesday 18th October

- Sponsored dog walk

Wednesday 19th October

Thursday 20th October

- 18.00 6th Form Quiz night

Friday 21st October

- School finishes for half-term

2. Year Group Notices

Year 8 and 9 MASTerclass students

MASTerclass is on next Thursday - 20th October, straight after school in the café, finishing at 4.00pm. This week will be run by Mr Darbyshire and will centre around building resilience using STEM. Looking forward to seeing all invited students there!

Mrs Wills, English Teacher

Year 7, 8 and 9 - Culture Club

All students in years 7, 8 and 9 are invited to take part in this club which takes place every Thursday afterschool, from 3.00 to 4.00pm. Refreshments are provided. Come along - get involved, broaden your horizons, taste new things, try new things and get a better understanding of other cultures. The next session takes place on Thursday 20th October. Please [click here](#) to view a flyer.

Mrs Cauchy-Duval, Modern Foreign Languages department

Year 7, 9 and Y11 - Individual student photos

On Monday 17th October students will have their photos taken by professional photographers.

Parents/Carers will have the opportunity to purchase these photos, information will be sent out about how to order and make payment.

Mrs Whelan, Data and Exams Manager

Year 11 students - Mock Interview Day

Yet another reminder that this takes place on Friday 4th November and that you should have completed/updated your CV by now. As I write this, and with three weeks to go, we have received 102 out of 218, so still a way to go. Not having a CV does not mean that you won't be having a mock interview but will severely affect the feedback you get, and your overall score. Not only that but, in the real world, not having a CV would almost certainly mean that you would not even get invited to interview!

You access Xello via Office 365. Once in Office 365 click on the 9 dots next to 'Office' in the top left of the screen and then on the icon for Xello - you will be taken straight into the program. If you are new to the school and have not accessed Xello before you still need to log in to Office 365 and click on the 9 dots next to Office. You will then need to click on 'all apps' and scroll down to the bottom of the list that appears to find the icon for Xello. Click on it and you will be taken into the program.

On the home screen there is a link - scroll down and on the right - to a YouTube video that explains what a CV is and how Xello can help students complete it. At the top of the home screen is a black menu bar - students need to click on 'About Me', scroll down the page a little and will see a link to a CV builder on the right. There are general hints and tips at the top of the CV screen, and hints and tips for each of the individual sections of the CV. When completed you need to download your CV as a PDF and email it to Mrs Nash (lnash1@felpham.org.uk) so that we can add it into the interview packs for the volunteers that will be coming in to carry out the interviews.

Mrs Woodman, Careers Leader

Religious Studies - each week

GCSE Religious Studies drop-in runs every Thursday from 3.00-4.00pm in B2. It is a chance for you to catch up on any missed work, complete homework or come and ask questions if there is anything in lessons that you have been struggling with. We can also do practice questions and work on exam technique. Sessions will be with both Miss Wyatt and Ms Aston-Rose.

Parents/Carers of students in Years 7-11 - Locker problems and replacement key

If your child has an issue with their locker they should first head to the Careers Office (S13a) and speak to Mrs Woodman or Mrs Nash. If there is no one in the Careers Office they should speak to their year office. If your child loses their locker key a replacement can be paid for via the ParentPay shop (£5). Once the payment is made it can take a few days for it to appear on the system; students who have made payments will be notified when their key is ready for collection. Please be aware that the school does not always have replacements keys in stock; if a replacement key has to be ordered it can take a significant amount of time to replace.

Student Leadership

The Student Leadership Team will be out on duty at break and lunch times each day around the Ernest Joyce and Blake playground areas. Please feel free to approach them with any issues / student voice questions you would like support with.

- Maddie Long will be running drop-ins for Year 11 students on Monday lunchtimes in the Student Leadership Office (art corridor), to help with revision / planning.
- Zalia Ali will be in the Sixth Form Hub each day and will be available for Year 12 students to help with anything to do with starting in the Sixth Form.

This week's quote from the Student Leadership Team is from Adam Hughes, Assistant Head Student i/c Community Action and is: *'You can't go back and change the beginning, but you can start where you are and change the ending.'* CS Lewis

3. School canteen

Please [click here](#) to view the menu for next week.

Our lunch menus run on a 3-week cycle, below is a link to our website which shows all 3 menus and the morning break menu, click here <https://www.felpham.com/parents-students/catering/>.

4. FCC Extra-curricular clubs 2022/2023

The FCC Extra-curricular timetable is now available for students on our website and through the link below. Individual timetables for each year group are also below, on the website and have been distributed to Form Tutors to publicise with students.

- [Extra-Curricular Timetable](#)
- [Year 7](#)
- [Year 8](#)
- [Year 9](#)
- [Year 10](#)
- [Year 11](#)
- [Sixth Form](#)

Mrs Preissner, Assistant Headteacher

5. Non-uniform day - Friday 21st October

Students and staff are invited to wear non-school uniform on Friday 21st October for a £1 donation, the proceeds will be split between My Sister's House (please see link below) and FCC to improve our outdoor facilities). [My Sisters' House \(mysistershouse.info\)](http://mysistershouse.info)

Reminder: This year we have opened ParentPay up for parents/carers to pay online with a one-off payment of £6 to cover all the non-uniform days, should they wish to.

Please note: ParentPay will close on Wednesday 19th October, this is two days before the first non-uniform day. After this time, we can only accept donations of £1 cash on each non-uniform day. Thank you for your support of these days.

Thank you to Student Council Reps across year groups who are collecting in the money on the 21st - full details on Student Council Teams.

Mrs Chester, Publicity

6. Safeguarding Corner

Online Safety Guidance for Parents and Carers

Please [click here](#) to view a flyer from WSCC with tips for Parents and Carers for protecting young people online.

WSCC Your Mind Matters

[Your Mind Matters](#) is a county council led campaign which aims to ensure young people, parents and professionals across West Sussex know where to get help with their emotional wellbeing and mental health, both in general and in times of crisis. Please [click here](#) for more information.

Mrs Covill, Safeguarding and Inclusion and Lead

7. UK Parliament week

As part of UK Parliament week in November, students and staff will vote for what charities to support in the Spring and Summer Term 2023 through the FCC charity programme of events. Students and staff are therefore now invited to put forward suggestions for what charities we should support and why; please email me by clicking [here](#). The deadline for suggestions is 3.00pm on Monday 31st October. Ollie Denman, Student Leadership i/c of Youth Action

8. Raising the roof in English

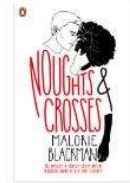
1. Black History month reading

As it is Black History Month, the English Department thought we would promote some fantastic novels by black writers. Below are a selection of titles taken from the Penguin website.

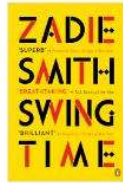
Must-read Black British writers



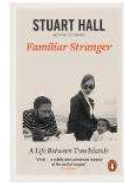
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DOROTHY KOOMSON



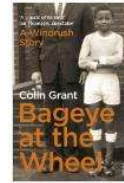
Noughts & Crosses
MALORIE BLACKMAN



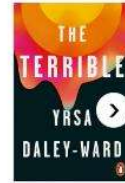
Swing Time
ZADIE SMITH



Familiar Stranger
STUART HALL



Bageye at the Wheel
COLIN GRANT



The Terrible
YRSA DALEY-WARD

2. Tutor Time reading

Noughts and Crosses by Malorie Blackman is currently being read by tutor group 9G as part of our tutor time reading canon. Read the extract below to see if it something you would be interested in reading:

'You're a nought and I'm a cross and there's nowhere for us to be, nowhere for us to go where we'd be left in peace. That's why I started crying. For all the things we're never going to have.'

Sephy Hadley and Callum McGregor have been friends since childhood, and they both know that's as far as it can go. There is a world full of racism, fear and mounting violence - where Noughts and Crosses are fated to be enemies. Then, against all the odds, these star-crossed lovers choose each other. But this is a love story that will lead them both into terrible danger...

3. Student shout-outs in English this week go to:

6th Form	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maddie D, Annabelle S and Natalia C
Year 11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lola H: For 100% in her quotations test every week since we started the year Tia R: For her fantastic essay on Macbeth becoming a changing man which was 2 grades above her target Josie K, Thea H, Grace H and Dan B: For absolutely incredible Macbeth essays Bailey R: For a brilliant Macbeth assessment Danils V and James P: For their improved attitude and effort in lessons
Year 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Katy P and Maia C: For their detailed essay plans and drive to make progress Joseph M-L: For always being the first to put his hand up Alysha B-B: For some fantastic analysis of Insp Goole Danils G: For his valuable contributions to lessons and discussions Isabelle A
Year 9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Liwia O: For her detailed and original plan on Curley's Wife Bertie K: For always being the first to put his hand up Phoebe S: For carrying class discussions with her great ideas Isaac D: For his focus and effort in all lessons Luke M
Year 8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Danny L: For his contributions to class discussion Paige B: For 100% effort every lesson Ronnie H: For always working so hard Chase T: For his contributions to lessons so far Henley H
Year 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Harry O: For a brilliantly creative magical plant design and descriptions Elliott R: For his amazing Harry Potter voices when reading Mariegold K: For a brilliant Hogwarts House design Jasmine B: For her cheery attitude to all lessons Danny H: For his attitude and effort to lessons Mia B

Ms Constantine would like a 'shout out' to Miss Smith's Year 11 class for their preparation and work on the Macbeth assessment - they were a pleasure to mark!

9. Psychology - More thinking, More knowledge, More Learning

If you have an interest in psychology, please [click here](#) to read this week's item.
Miss Narburgh, Curriculum Leader: Social Sciences

10. Student Council

Student Council year group meetings will take place within registration on the dates below. Please can students go straight to their meeting, you will be registered there. The Agenda will be on Student Council Teams, please can Council Reps check, thank you.

Tuesday 1st November

- Year 7: Library
- Year 10: Sixth Form supervised study room (near the library)
- Year 11: N1

Thursday 3rd November

- Year 8: Library
- Year 9: Sixth Form supervised study
- Sixth Form: Sixth Form study room in the hub

We look forward to seeing all reps at the meeting.
Mr Summers, Assistant Headteacher

11. Geography Updates

Newsletter

Please [click here](#) to view the latest newsletter.

Geography Trip - Year 9, 10, 11 and 12 Geographers

The geography department are looking to run an international trip in 2023, please visit your class Teams page and complete the survey so we can gauge student interest, thank you.

Year 10 Geographers

You will be undertaking your first assessment after half term, so let's get prepared for it effectively!
Please [click here](#) for a checklist you can use to check your understanding of key topics.

How can I revise at home?

1. Use the attached checklist to check understanding of key areas- Red, amber, Green each point.
 - Use the YouTube video <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hdreBPkIWSI> to cover any areas of red and rewrite it in your own words.
2. Watch the YouTube video <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hdreBPkIWSI>
 - Draw the picture whilst the video plays- then label the key features after the video stops. Then replay the video to add in anything you have forgotten in another colour- then you can see what you need to focus on learning.
 - Fast forward to the end of the video and hit pause on the final image. Can you explain what each picture represents? can you explain this to someone at home who has not learned this unit?
3. Make flash cards for different parts of the case study. Here are some instructions on how to make flash cards:
 - Phrase your flashcards as questions
 - Use the case study picture when writing out your flashcards
 - Don't put too much information on each flashcard
 - Make your flashcards as neat as possible
 - Don't be afraid to have drawings on your flashcards
 - Spread out large topics over many cards
4. Use the flash cards to test yourself (with someone from home or a friend or yourself) that you know the content.
5. Look up practice past papers and plan answers to some past exam questions at:
<https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/geography/gcse/geography-8035/assessment-resources>
(Rio is in paper 2, Section A)

Remember, your teacher is here to support you. To be successful in geography you need to work hard in class and out of class; if you get stuck with your work at home, come and find your geography teacher and we can help work through your issue.

Mrs Sloggett, Curriculum Leader: Geography

12. Rainbow Flag Award update

We are thrilled to receive more positive feedback as part of our drive as a school to achieve the Rainbow Flag Award. We have now successfully completed 3 of the 6 sections. The feedback celebrates the effort from our staff to ensure every student in the school feels welcome. Confetti club continues to run on Wednesday after school in B37. Everyone is welcome!

Mrs de Silva and Miss Sabatier

13. Art Show

Students in Year 9 have been working with an artist to produce an Art Show in Bognor Regis town centre at the POP Gallery opposite Place St Maur. They have been working to produce a photographic and mixed media show which will be open over the whole of half term from 10.00am to 3.00pm every day, apart from Sunday. If you are passing then please go and look at the fantastic work they have produced which is on display there.

Mrs Tompkins, Curriculum Leader: Art and Photography

14. Black History Month

This week as part of Black History Month we are looking at the issues of racism and the life of Stephen Lawrence, please [click here](#) for a link to the PowerPoint.

Ms McAuley, Curriculum Leader: History

15. The Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal [Poppy Appeal | Armed Forces Charity | Royal British Legion](#)

Student Council Reps will be going around school w/c 17/10 and 31/10 selling poppies to students and staff; please can students bring in cash if they wish to support this, thank you.

16. PE Fixture results

1. Year 8 Girls Football

Monday 10th October saw the 2nd game in the U14 district league against Chichester Free School (CFS). After the Year 8s thumping win in the under 13 National 9-aside cup, they needed to turn their attention to 11-aside and join with the Year 9 football team; a transition that is not easy but the Year 9 girls were fantastic role models and the team gelled instantly.

It wasn't long before Evie broke through the midfield and took an early shot which beat the CFS keeper in the bottom corner to make it 1-0. Again, some great defensive work from Tilly, Grace, Juliet, Paris and Isabelle kept CFS away from the goal, passing the ball out to Poppy and Emily to dribble down the wings. Along with these girls, Hattie, Holli, Sophia and Millie all supported Neve and Willow up front to be dominant throughout. Goals from Neve, Millie, Poppy and Emily ensured the girls came away with a 6-1 win. Well done girls, Littlehampton Academy are next week in the county cup.

Team: Grace A, Emily A, Matilda B, Sophia C, Juliet D, Poppy E, Neve E, Willow H, Paris N, Evie P, Harriet R, Millie S and Isabelle W

Mr Whiffin, Deputy Headteacher

2. Year 9 Boys Football

The Year 9 boys football team maintained their 100% record in this year's campaign, beating Chichester Free School 8-2 in Thursday night's match. With a depleted squad due to injury, the 12-man team took an early 2-0 lead in the first 5 minutes of the game, only to let the opposition back in with a thunderbolt 35yard strike. The game then got a little feisty and both captains were spoken to, to ensure they had positive words with their teams.

Felpham then took charge of the game and went into the half time break with 5-1 with 4 goals coming from the goal machine Max C (9E) who used his blistering pace and accurate shooting to get the team into the lead. Second half changes and positional movements allowed Chichester Free School to get a goal back, but the team continue to move the ball swiftly and accurately and create further scoring opportunities.

Team: Hayden T, Rylee N, Blake G, Leighton B, Max C, Lennon P, Jude D, Ollie O, Santi D, Archie S and Issac D

Mr Hauxwell, Curriculum Leader: PE

3. Year 11 Netball

Excellent news for the Year 11 netball squad with yet another amazing win for the team against local rivals The Regis School - 34-14. The girls remain unbeaten across the league and will now go onto the league finals after half term.

Miss Hudson, PE Department

17. Publicity

In the Bognor Regis Observer 13th October: Class Act - Making a great start (page 49)

18. Careers Update

Students in all year groups - Job of the week

This week's Job of the Week from Jamie Pywell at MyPath is [UX designer](#). Discover what the job entails, what qualifications you will need to get into it, what subjects are useful for it and the salary you might earn. If you want to find out more about a specific job pop along to the Careers Hub (S13b) and speak to Mrs Woodman or Mrs Nash.



MYPATH

Parents/Carers - The Parent Perspective - Apprenticeship support

Episode 4 of this podcast series is now available [here](#). Episode 4 is all about considering the options available to your young person.